

## Mary Matha arts & science college

## September - October 2018

Academic Excellence Day 2018 was celebrated together with the Blessing and Inauguration of the newly built UGC assisted Staff Quarters cum Guest House Complex. The complex was blessed by His Excellency Mar Jose Porunnedom, our Patron & the Bishop of the Diocese of Mananthavady, and inaugurated by Prof Gopinath Ravindran, Hon Vice-chancellor of Kannur University. On this occasion, Hon Vice-chancellor delivered the fourth Dr K T Varkey endowment lecture on the topic, Higher Education in India: Trends & Challenges, and gave away prizes to the winners of Rev Fr Francis Njallampuzha Memorial Magazine Award 2018.

In addition, the achievers, toppers in exams and award winners among the students were honoured at the function. Ms Nayana V T, who was adjudged the Best Out-going student 2018, received Dr K T Varkey Endowment award in this regard. Sri Ramachandran K, Assistant Professor of English at St Mary's College Sulthan Bathery, received honour at the function as an illustrious alumnus of ours.

Mr Sonabin V Sabu of II B Sc Physics was shortlisted to participate in the Camp-cum-Seminar to be held in Mumbai for his exemplary performance in an Essay Writing Competition conducted by the Department of Nuclear Science and Technology for college students. The College Union 2018-19 was inaugurated by Sri C K Saseendran M LA (Kalpetta constituency) and the Principal formally administered the oath of office to the College Union office bearers at the inaugural ceremony.

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